

## WHAT PERCENT OF HOUSEHOLDS HAVE CHILDREN ENROLLED IN PUBLIC SCHOOL?

## What percent of households have children (ages 6-17) enrolled in public school?

- One in four (25%) households in Washington has a child enrolled in public school.
- Yakima County has the highest proportion of households with a child enrolled in public school (33%).
- King County has the lowest rate (20%).

## **COUNTY DATA:**

|  | % of       |
|--|------------|
|  | households |
| STATEWIDE  | 25%        |
| Yakima   | 33 %       |
| Benton / Franklin  | 30 %       |
| Adams / Ferry / Grant / Lincoln / Pend Oreille / Stevens | 30 %       |
| Snohomish  | 28 %       |
| Pierce   | 28 %       |
| Kitsap   | 27 %       |
| Clark  | 27 %       |
| Chelan / Douglas / Kittitas / Okanogan                   | 26 %       |
| Cowlitz / Klickitat / Skamania / Wahkiakum               | 26 %       |
| Thurston   | 25 %       |
| Grays Harbor / Lewis / Pacific                           | 24 %       |
| Spokane  | 24 %       |
| Island / San Juan / Skagit                               | 24 %       |
| Whatcom  | 22 %       |
| Asotin / Columbia / Garfield / Walla Walla / Whitman     | 22 %       |
| Clallam / Jefferson / Mason                              | 21 %       |
| King   | 20 %       |

**SOURCE:** U.S. Census Bureau, Public Use Microdata Sample, 2000.